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Agenda items 2 and 3

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters

Basic programme of work of the Council

Draft proposals submitted by the President of the Economic and Social Council and members of its Bureau on the basis of informal consultations held pursuant to paragraph 2 (l) of Council decision 1988/77

Draft decision I
Basic programme of work of the Economic and Social Council for 2003

The Economic and Social Council takes note of the list of questions for inclusion in its programme of work for 2003 as contained in document E/2002/1.

Draft decision II
Theme for the operational activities segment of the substantive session of 2002 of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council decides that the theme for the operational activities segment of its substantive session of 2002 should be: _____

Draft decision III
Theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of its substantive session of 2002 of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council decides that the theme for the humanitarian affairs segment of its substantive session of 2002 should be: "Strengthening of the coordination of United Nations humanitarian assistance in cases of natural disasters and complex humanitarian emergencies, with particular attention to reaching the vulnerable and the transition from relief to development".

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Draft decision IV
Request for conversion of the International Civil Defence Organization, an intergovernmental organization with observer status with the Economic and Social Council, into a specialized agency of the United Nations system

The Council decides to include in the agenda of its substantive session of 2002 for its consideration the request for conversion of the International Civil Defence Organization (ICDO), an intergovernmental organization with observer status with the Economic and Social Council, into a specialized agency of the United Nations system.

Draft decision V
Request for conversion of the World Tourism Organization, an intergovernmental organization with observer status with the Economic and Social Council, into a specialized agency of the United Nations system

The Council decides to include in the agenda of its substantive session of 2002 for its consideration the request for conversion of the World Tourism Organization, an intergovernmental organization with observer status with the Economic and Social Council, into a specialized agency of the United Nations system.